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**Hemerocallis**  
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## INTRODUCTION

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The new and older varieties of Hemerocallis offered in this catalog are of high order, and superior stock. Many of the older varieties have been and still are great prize winners, and the prices are now so reasonable any one can afford them. It costs no more to plant and cultivate a good variety than it does a poor one.

I endeavor to give plants or divisions as large as possible for the price and all should bloom if planted early in season.

Plants true to name to the best of my knowledge and are guaranteed to arrive in good condition. Should any losses or mistakes occur I will gladly make adjustments or replacements.

Terms are cash with order. Orders of \$2.00 or more prepaid in Zone 3. Above Zone 3 add 10% of order to apply on postage. Under \$2.00 orders will be sent express collect. Will be sent by parcel post unless otherwise specified.

Thanking you, and with best wishes for a greater and better garden year, we remain.

Yours for better flowers,

*H. A. Zager*





# Hemerocallis

**HEMEROCALLIS** do equally well in sun or shady location. Will grow in poor or rich soil or acid, sandy or clay soil but should have fertilizer, water and cultivation to be at their best. They have no diseases nor insect pests and grow in wet soil as well as dry.

The season of bloom is from the middle of May till September, foliage always green and attractive, varying in shades of green, in height, in width and carriage according to variety.

Can be transplanted any time the ground is not frozen without loss but best time to plant is spring and after clones have bloomed.

In the past there has been confusion regarding Hemerocallis Cressida. Two varieties were sold under that name. The earlier apricot yellow with long blooming season was also sold as Dover, the other, Gypsy, blooms later and is a smoky orange with slight reddish eye zone. I have decided to drop the name Cressida and list the earlier as Dover and continue to sell Gypsy as usual. Both varieties were originated by Betscher.

**ALLADIN** (Stout)—Outer half of flower golden yellow. Garnet-brown spot on petals. Flowers clustered and present a dazzling effect. Remains open evenings. Repeats in fall. Blooms in June on 3 ft. stalks. ....\$1.50

**ANNA BETSCHER**—Flowers 5 in. in diameter, broad petals, empire yellow. Plants floriferous. July, August. 3 ft. ....75c

**ANTOINETTE** (Hayward) — Large, spreading flower, dark purple-brown petals, orange throat on stalks 2½ feet tall, blooms June, July. Vigorous. Plant very striking.....\$1.50

**APRICOT**—Medium size flower of light orange apricot. Foliage dark green. Early, May, June, 2½ ft. True variety .....50c

**AUGUST ORANGE** (Stout) Flowers of rich orange of good size, on well branched scapes about 3 feet tall. Blooms in August .....\$3.00



- AUGUST PIONEER** (Stout)—Many medium size blooms on slender, strong stems well branched which extend well above the foliage. Color chrome orange with outer half of petals flushed red, one of the latest to bloom. August, September ..... **50c**
- AUREOLE**—Good size flowers, clear light orange, stalks erect, branching. One of the earliest to bloom. May, June. 3 ft. .... **35c**
- AUTUMN PRINCE** (Stout)—Clear light yellow flowers on many well branched stalks about 3½ ft. tall. Flowers even tone of good size and texture. The best late, clear yellow, to date. Fine for fall bloom; from August to frost. .... **\$2.00**
- AUTUMN RED** (Nesmith)—An Open velvety red of good size with a long season of bloom. 20 or more flowers on well branched stalks. 3 ft. July-August. .... **\$2.00**
- BAGDAD**—Brown and reddish tones with yellow throat, open flowers with a yellow midrib center of petals. 3 ft. June, July. .... **50c**
- BARONET** (Stout)—Flower full with broad petals of "sprightly fulvous red" which stand above the foliage and remain open evenings. Blooms in June. Originator claims blooms second time in September. Stalks 2 ft. tall. .... Each **\$1.50**
- BICOLOR** (Stout) Sepals, throat, and stripe along midrib of each petal are yellowish orange. Petals except throat are pale red, tinged rose. Of large size on stalks 3½ feet tall, open evenings. Blooms July, August. .... **\$3.00**
- BLACK PRINCE** (Russell) Dark red almost black with velvety satin sheen. Flowers of good size with broad sepals and petals of an even color. The throat has a small yellow cup. Blooms in July on 3 foot stalks. .... **\$3.50**
- BOUTONNIERE** (Stout) — Small flowers of wide open form with over-lapping and recurving petals. Sepals clear yellow petals rosy peach with trace of mid-stripe, general effect somewhat bi-color, blooms profusely August and September on 2½ ft. stalks. .... **\$ .50**
- BUCKEYE** (Stout)—Flowers full, clear orange with a large spot of mahogany red. Similar to Mikado but blooms a month early on 2½ foot stalks in June, July .... **\$1.50**



- BURBANK** (Burbank)—An exquisite soft lemon yellow that blooms in June and July on stalks 3½ feet tall. Sometimes blooms again later in season. . . . . **50c**
- BURGUNDY** (Nesmith)—Large wide open flower of wine color on stalks 30 inches or more tall. Plant vigorous and has unusually long season of bloom July into September. . . . . **\$2 50**
- BURMAH** (Nesmith) Glistening orange overlaid with rose-copper with yellow cup in throat. Blooms 5 inches which open full with recurved petals. July, August, 2½ feet. . . . . **\$1.00**
- BYNG OF VIMY** (Perry) — Unusual and delicately beautiful color light gold with overlay of soft rose, giving a coral or buff pink effect. Large size. Blooms July, August. 40 in. . . . . **\$2.00**
- CABALLERO** (Stout)—A distinct bicolor, petals vermillion red, throat and sepals golden yellow on stalks 3½ ft. tall, flowers of good size and blooms in July and August. A tall, gay and brilliant addition to the summer garden . . . . . **\$2.50**
- CALYPSO**—This is an evening blooming variety flower of good size of clear canary yellow on stalks 3½ ft. tall. Opens late in the day when other flowers have faded. . . . . **35c**
- CARNIVAL** (Traub) Large flower of more red with large orange yellow throat, very showy, blooms in July. 3 ft. **\$2.00**
- CHENG TU** (Stout)—Brilliant, coppery orange-red with deep velvety carmine midzone. Flowers 4½ inches or more, pleasingly recurved on stalks 3 ft. Blooms July to late August. . . . . **\$1.00**
- CHIANTI** (Nesmith) Color of bloom raspberry with a purple effect in the garden. Petals and sepals recurve from the tiny yellow cup; of good size and finish. Blooms in July, August. Three feet. . . . . **\$3.00**
- CHISCA** (Fisher)—A very attractive and different variety. Sepals are yellow and the alternating petals are rosy-red. Produces an abundance of good size flowers on three foot stalks in July and August . . . . . **75c**
- CHLOE** (Nesmith) — Full ruffled flower with broad petals, deep yellow background flecked and powdered golden sepia. Unusual for both form and coloration. 3 ft. August. . . . . **\$2.00**



- CIMARRON** (Russell) 5 inch blooms which open full. The petals are brown with an intense maroon eye zone. The sepals are yellow overcast with red. The throat is green. Many call this a glorified George Yeld. 3 feet. Blooms in July, August.....\$1.00
- CINNABAR**—Cadmium yellow sprinkled with rose brown. Good size, open flower with recurving petals. 2½ ft. July, August .....50c
- CIRCE** (Stout)—Full, clear yellow flowers of medium size on erect well branched stem. Blooms in July and August, splendid in combination with tall lavender and white phlox for mid-summer bloom. 4 feet.....75c
- CISSY GUISEPPI**—Mahogany red, yellow throat and midrib. Medium size flower. 2½ ft. June, July.....35c
- COMET** (Russell)—A splendid bicolor of large size with good carriage, the petals are rose-salmon with deeper rose eye zone. The sepals are lemon. 3 ft. July, August.....\$2.00
- CONFUSCIUS** (Bechtold) Formerly called Shangri-La. A gorgeous flower of brownish red, brighter red than Fulva with yellow throat. Immense in size —petals broad and somewhat pointed —blooms in July. 3 ft. ....\$3.00
- CORALLINE** (Nesmith)—Large open flowers with a background of light maize yellow heavily flushed with shrimp pink, slightly lighter at the edge of the petals and sepals. Late flowering with twenty or more buds. August and September. 39 inches. (Originators description) .....\$4.00
- CRAEMORE HENNA** (Plouf)—Flowers of good size and form of fulvous reddish color on stalks 2½ ft. tall. Desirable because of early mid season bloom, June and July.....\$1.50
- CURLYPATE**—Clear light yellow of medium size, good substance, edges of petals crinkled and recurved, late blooming in July, August. 3½ ft..\$1.00
- DAUNTLESS**—Pale cadmium yellow with greenish throat, pastel shaded eye, or attractively blended midzone, in alternate petals. Wide overlapping petals 4½ inches or more across. Fragrant. July and August.....75c
- DAWN**—Flowers 5 inches across, fulvous rose, sulphur yellow base. July, August. 3½ ft. ....60c



**DAZZLER**—Introduced by Dreers. Large flowers of a rich deep golden yellow with broad petals, flowers measure 6 inches and more in diameter, blooms in July, 2½ ft. Best mid-season orange .....\$1.00

**DOMINION** (Stout)—Large flowers with broad sepals and petals—reddish brown in color with yellow throat, blooms June, July and again later in season. 3 ft. ....\$2.00

**DOVER** (Betscher)—Clear light apricot yellow, flower 5 inches spread. Edges of petals ruffled, has a long season of bloom, early June into July. Formerly Cressida. 3 ft.....50c

**D. D. WYMAN**—Large, golden yellow with tawny splash on petals. Long season of bloom. Late June and July. 3 ft. ....35c

**DOROTHY McDADE** (Sass)—Flower of good size of medium yellow color on stalks 3 ft. tall. Latest of Sass varieties to bloom, in July and August .....\$1.00

**E. A. BOWLES**—Rich deep reddish orange, blended with paler orange and gold. Large open flowers with ruffled petals. Excellent. July, August..\$1.00

**EMILY HUME** (Hume)—Light orange yellow flowers have petals that are twisted curled, pinched at the tips, making them most decorative in the garden or as cut flowers for daytime arrangement. Form similar to Wau-Bun, blooms later and lighter shade. Blooms July on stalks 2½ tall..\$1.50

**EMPEROR JONES** (Hayward)—Very dark purple-maroon-red. Large recurving blooms with a prominent yellow mid-rib, a striking variety. The finest creation of this hybridist. July, August. 36 in. ....\$5.00

**ENCHANTRESS** (Bristol Nurseries)—Blossoms of medium size, perfectly formed are carried in clusters on tall stately stems. Color soft yellow deepening to a faint copper-gold, with just a slight flush of tender pink in the throat, 3½ feet tall. Blooms mid-July into August.....\$1.00

**E. W. YANDRE** (Hayward)—The flowers are large, 6 inches, and are exceptionally flaring. This wide open characteristic and the creped edges make them very noticeable. The color is reddish brown and gold. 2½ ft. July....\$1.50

- FESTIVAL** (Stout)—A gay bicolor. Sepals orange with brown tinge; petals English red with darker veins and orange mid-stripe. A vigorous grower; erect, with many well branched stalks 3½ ft. tall, in bloom July and August. ....\$2.00
- FIREFLY** (Bechtold)—Brilliant red effect on wiry stems two feet tall. Flowers of medium size, but many of them. June, July .....\$1.50
- FLAVINA** (Fewkes)—A charming dainty flower of light lemon yellow. Blooms May, June with Flava. Blooms more round and petals broader than Flava. 2½ ft. ....\$1.00
- FLORIDA** (Hayward) — Flowers of good size of yellow brushed with coral with eye zone of darker shade. Pastel effect. 3 ft. tall. June, July.....\$1.00
- FULVA ROSEA**—Species from China introduced by Dr. Stout. A beautiful hemerocallis of fine form and exquisite coral red or rose pink, the color is uniform though blending a little lighter in throat. About 3 ft. Blooms July, August.....\$2.00
- GAIETY** (Betscher)—Large blossoms of palest lemon yellow, wide open form on stalks 3 feet tall. Blooms June, July .....\$1.00
- GAY DAY** (Mrs. Nesmith)—Soft yellow flowers with great substance and beauty, borne on sturdy stems 3½ feet, blooms in August.....\$1.50
- GEORGE KELSO** (Traub) — Splendid large flower with pronounced ruffled petals. The soft light orange coloring is suffused with bronze, the sepals being somewhat lighter in color than the petals. Vigorous, blooms in June and July. 36 in.....\$2.00
- GEORGE YELD**—Large open flowers, 6 inches across. Bronzy apricot flushed with brownish red. July, August. 3½ ft. ....50c
- GLADYS PERRY** (Perry)—A dainty flower in pastel shades of rose bronze and yellow, in bloom July and August on stalks 2½ ft. tall.....75c
- GLOAMING** (Cook)—Large open blooms with yellow background, heavily overcast with reddish rose-purple. The whole flower has a sparkling beauty that is most pleasing. 3½ feet tall, July-August .....\$1.00



- GYPSY**—Very deep orange with slight red shadings blended beautifully together giving it appearance of smoky orange, about 5 inches spread. 3½ ft. tall. Stems and foliage strong, blooms late July .....**40c**
- GLORIANA**—Attractive rich clear pure deep yellow, without a trace of any other color, blooms in June well into July. 3 ft.....**50c**
- GOLD DUST** (Yeld)—Low growing variety of value on account of early blooming. Soft empire yellow, blooms with Iris. Each.....**40c**
- GOLDEN BELL** (Ruys)—Fragrant flowers of large size, of apricot orange shade, in bloom in July and August on stalks 3 ft.....**75c**
- GOLDEN BYNG OF VIMY** (Perry)—Flowers of large size, recurved in form of rich golden yellow shade with midrib of golden buff. Blooms in July and August on stalks 4 ft. tall .....**\$1.50**
- GOLDEN DREAM**—Flowers golden orange of good form, size and substance. Late blooming. July, August. 2½ ft. ....**50c**
- GOLDENI**—Deep golden orange, vigorous in habit, profuse in bloom. Long season. July, August. 3 ft.....**25c**
- GOLDEN SCEPTER** (Nesmith) — A tall and stately day lily with flowers of rich golden orange. The blooms are fluted with exceptional heavy waxlike substance, many buds to a stalk. Blooms July, August. 3 ft.....**\$2.00**
- GOLD IMPERIAL**—Superb ruffled flowers of glowing deep yellow with broad petals on 4 ft. stems, long season of blooming. Splendid variety. July, August .....**60c**
- GOLDEN WEST** (Sass)—Lovely large funnel-shaped flowers, a deeper shade than Sunny West. Blossoms are of heavy texture making this a wonderful garden variety. 4 ft. tall. July and August .....**\$1.00**
- GRANADA** (Traub)—Sepal and petals uniform shade of reddish bronze shading to yellow throat, yellow midrib center of petals enhances beauty of flowers, a glorified Bagdad of darker shade. Blooms in June and July on well branched stalks 2½ ft. Each .....**\$1.00**

- HANKOW**—Introduced by Dr. Stout. The flowers are large, wide-spreading (5½ inches), rich yellowish orange with a bold scarlet eye-zone in the petals, one of the finest Hemerocallis. 3½ to 4 ft. July and August.....**75c**
- HESPERUS** (Sass)—Lovely seven inch blooms, empire and light cadmium yellow giving a delightful Jersey cream effect. Several flowers open at once on tall, well branched stalks four feet tall. Blooms in July and August .....**\$2.00**
- HIAWATHA** (Stout) — It produces a shower of medium golden flowers held waist high, giving an airy touch in the garden. The flower remains open in the evening and are useful for flower arrangements. Blooms June, July. 3 ft.....**\$1.00**
- HIGHBOY**—Large open star-like flowers of pale yellow. Long season of bloom, one of the latest and tallest varieties. Middle of July through August. 5 ft. ....**75c**
- HONEY REDHEAD** (Nesmith)—A very brilliant and unusual combination of colors that is praised by hemerocallis judges. The flowers are open and flaring of velvety yet bright red with a distinct border of creamy yellow. Medium height with good branching. July, August. 38 in. (Originator's Description) .....**\$4.50**
- HYPERION**—Large flowers, 6 inches across, of firm waxy substance, canary yellow with greenish yellow throat. Free flowering. July, August. 4 ft. **50c**
- IRIS PERRY**—Large open flowers of bronzy orange. Very lovely. Long season of bloom. Flower overcast with sparkling sheen. Very pretty. Stems 3 ft. Blooms June well into July...**50c**
- J. A. CRAWFORD** (Betscher) — Large flowers about 6 inch spread of deep apricot yellow on sturdy stems about 3 feet tall. A splendid mid-season variety, blooms in July-August...**35c**
- J. S. GAYNOR** (Yeld)—Large open funnel shaped flowers of soft orange-apricot. Petals broad with wavy margins full blooming, scented. Blooms July, August. 3 ft. tall.....**75c**
- JUDGE ORR** (Orr)—The outstanding soft orange yellow blooming at Iris time. A prolific and free flowering variety, wonderful as a cut flower. Blooms June. 30 in. ....**\$1.00**



**JUNE BOISSIER** (Perry)—Orange bronze flower of good form with pale crimson zone, sulphur yellow base, blooms in July and August on slender stalks 3 ft. tall .....**\$2.00**

**KANAPAHA** (Watkins)—The blooms are of a clear cardinal red without any midrib, eye zone, or throat of lighter color to detract from the beauty of the flower. Flowers of good size with full form. July, August. 2½ ft. ....**\$5.00**

**KWANSO VIRGINICA**—A double flowering variety. Should really be classed as triple, rather than double. It has three distinct sets of petals and sepals, all of which lie back evenly. Color is orange, overlaid rose, with a splash of deeper rose on each petal, with golden yellow throat. It has a tiny cup like center, petals not twisted and deformed as in other double varieties. 3 ft. July. ....**\$1.00**

**LEMONA**—Lovely shade of pale lemon yellow. Large flower, free blooming. July, August. 3½ ft. ....**50c**

**LINDA**—Petals golden yellow, pastel shaded, cinnamon flecked with red eye in sharp contrast to its bright and clear yellow sepals—practically a bicolor, petals pleasingly crinkled. Large flowered variety. 5 inches. 30 inches tall. Blooms in July and August .....**60c**

**MARCUS**—Large open flowers of deep yellow with a faint bronzy-red overlay. Faint olive shading to the side of the petals and the flower is fluted and somewhat crimped at the edges. Unusual and very lovely, about 3 ft. tall, blooms in July and August. ....**60c**

**MARY FLORENCE** (Betscher)—A lovely creamy yellow with a pink undertone giving a rich buff effect. A charming variety. Quite distinct. Blooms in July and again latter part of August. Good size flowers with splendid texture. About 3 ft. tall. ....**75c**

**MARY GUENTHER** (Russell)—An outstanding bicolor of good size. The petals are velvety carmine red, the sepals clear yellow. Blooms in July on stalks 2 ft. ....**\$2.00**

**MATADOR** (Nesmith)—Rich mahogany, almost crimson flower with a deep red velvety flush on the petals. The sepals are the same color, but not as velvety. A full cup shaped flower of dazzling brilliance with twenty or more buds on nicely branched scape. July 15 to August 15, 38 inches. (Originators description). ....**\$2.50**

**MAYOR STARZINSKI** (Traub)—Flower a glistening bronze-rose of medium size, long blooming season, blooms in July on slender stalks 3 ft. tall **\$3.00**

**MERRY MOOD** (Nesmith) — A cherry pink that is most effective in the garden. According to Ridgeway the petals are Rose dore. Sepals have a lighter background flushed with deeper color. There is a Jasper red zone about the yellow throat. Medium flowers on well branched stalks. July, August. 40 in. (Orignator's description) .....**\$3.50**

**MIDAS** (Stout)—Flowers medium large, wide open of clear glowing orange on tall strong stalks 3½ ft. A tall orange yellow excellent for background. Open evenings. July. ....**\$ .75**

**MIKADO**—5 inch flowers recurving in form, orange in color, petals have area of dark red purple which adds brilliancy to the flower. June, July. 2½ ft. ....**35c**

**MILDRED ORPET** (Traub)—A peach and rose blush bicolor of good size and shape. Blooms in mid summer on nicely branched stalks 3 ft. tall.....**\$3.00**

**MISSION BELLS** (Hall) — Large wide petaled, ruffled flower of clear medium yellow producing up to 52 flowers to a stalk on established plants. A fine variety that is a strong grower and a free bloomer. July, August. 3 ft. ....**\$4.00**

**MODESTY**—Large, pale creamy yellow, self color, raised midrib. Long season of bloom, early June into July, 3 ft..**50c**

**MONARCH** (Stout)—Full, crisp, star-like, light cadmium yellow blooms with a delicate halo of fulvous orange in mid-zone. Of medium size on much and firmly branched stalks. 3 ft. Blooms in July. Good evenings.....**\$1.25**

**MORNING STAR** (Cleveland)—Pale yellow of good size with long season of bloom on 3 ft. stalks. July and August. ....**\$1.00**

**MOONBEAM** (Sass)—Large Creamy yellow flower on well branched stalks 5 feet tall. Petals, sepals and throat of flower uniform color, of good substance and texture, blooms July-August. A splendid tall flowering variety .....**\$2.00**



- MRS. A. H. AUSTIN** (Betscher)—Good size blooms of golden yellow with broad petals on stems 3 ft. tall. Blooms profusely. July and August.....**50c**
- MRS. HUGH JOHNSON** (Russell) — A fiery red with a lovely satin sheen. The wide petals and sepals are slightly reflexed and open full. Stands the hottest sun and remains open evenings, small yellow throat. Flower of good size and form. 3 ft. July.....**\$4.00**
- MRS. JOHN J. TIGERT** (Watkins)—A striking day lily of Brazil red. Flowers of large size with yellow throat, blooms early in summer on stalks 2½ ft. tall .....**\$1.00**
- MRS. W. H. WYMAN**—Flowers 5 inches, spreading recurving form, pale glistening yellow. One of the latest to bloom. August. 3½ ft. ....**50c**
- NEBRASKA** (Sass)—Large buff yellow on stalks 3 ft. tall, many blooms on each stem. July and August.....**\$ .75**
- NUBIANA** (Hayward)—Good size flower of 5 inches or more, dark chocolate red with light yellow stripe center of petals and sepals, free flowering, handsome, one of the darkest varieties, 2½ ft. high. Blooms in mid summer .....Each **\$1.00**
- OLD VINTAGE** (Russell)—A wine colored day lily of good size and a profuse bloomer. Flower has a yellow throat and keeps well on hottest days, tall stalks and blooms in June and July .....Each **\$1.00**
- OPHIR**—Large, yellow flowers overlaid gold. Free flowering. Popular and desirable variety. July, August. 4 ft..**40c**
- ORANGE FLARE** (Bristol Nurseries)—A very large, graceful, golden yellow blossom with a soft sparkling orange sheen. Strong stems, well branched carry quantities of big delightful fragrant flowers during August and early September on stems more than 3 ft. tall ..... **\$1.50**
- PALE MOON**—Beautiful pale yellow of good size and form. Good substance, sturdy plant. July. 3 ft.....**50c**
- PATRICIA** (Stout)—Pale yellow with tinge of lemon-chrome and throat of greenish yellow, broad and recurving like a stately lily. Large, shapely, full flowers with pronounced fragrance, good in hot sun and open evenings. 2½ ft. July, August. ....**\$ .75**

**PEACH BLOW** (Nesmith) — Large open flowers of yellow heavily brushed with deep coral. 2½ ft. tall, blooms in July and August .....**75c**

**PERSIAN PRINCESS** (Nesmith 1938) — The petals are deep velvety red with a heavy overflush of purple, the sepals are a shade lighter, but with the same depth of color. An impressive hemerocallis. July-Aug. 40 in. (Originator's description) .....**\$3.00**

**PORT** (Stout)—A full flower of rich sprightly red, with sturdy, much branched stalks bearing many flowers. Slightly darker in mid-zone; greenish throat. Open evenings, 2½ ft. July, August. ....**\$1.50**

**PURPLE SAGE** (Russell) — Deep wine; one of the darkest of the purples. The petals are ruffled, with a slightly yellow midrib. Flowers of good size that keep well in the hot sun. June, July. 3 ft. ....**\$2.00**

**PURPLE WATERS** (Russell)—A deep wine colored day lily of good size, flowers open full and the ruffled petals are slightly reflexed, the throat is greenish yellow and the flower keeps well in the evening. 3 ft. tall, blooms in July and August.....Each **\$1.50**

**QUEEN OF GONZALES** (Russell)—Color of flower is chrome yellow or light orange, the petals are broad and overlapping. The six inch blooms remain open over a long period when cut. One of the earliest of the large varieties to bloom on stalks 3 feet tall .....Each **\$1.00**

**QUEEN MARY** (Perry)—A tall, stately, robust variety with large flowers of rich glistening yellow and full overlapping petals. One of the best early blooming yellow kinds. Blooms early June well into July. 3 ft.....**\$ .50**

**RADIANT**—Clear light orange of fine quality and texture. Large flower, fine form, early June into August. 3 ft. **60c**

**RAJAH** (Stout)—Large flowers of English red with darker eye-zone. Throat orange with greenish tinge. Well branched stalks, 3½ ft. Open evenings. ....**\$ .50**

**REVOLUTE** (Sass) — Large blooms of pure lemon yellow, each segment rolls back, wide open trumpet shape flower on stalk about four feet. In bloom July and August. ....**\$2.50**



- ROSY DAY** (Nies)—The large fragrant flowers have an undercolor of light yellow but the edges of the sepals and the outer half of the petals are washed with rosy pink. The tall stalks carry a large number of buds. Blooms early in summer .....\$1.00
- ROYAL** — Primrose yellow, flushed deeper along the midrib, petals waved, fragrant. Flowers of good size with good substance. June, July. 3 ft. ....50c
- ROYAL RUBY** (Nesmith) — A glowing deep ruby red which runs into the depths of the flower. Flower of good size. Plant of medium height. One of the best red varieties. 2½ ft. July, August .....\$8.50
- ROYAL TYCOON** (Bechtold)—A tall yellow with faint reddish markings on petals and sepals which are pinched and fluted, good size flowers on 37 in. stalks. Blooms in June and July. Formerly named Royalty.....\$1.00
- RUBY SUPREME** (Wheeler)—Wide open flowers 6 inches or more across of Ruby red. The throat is green gold. A delicate gold line traces its way through the middle of the petal. The plant is very vigorous. 3 ft. tall. July, August .....\$6.00
- RUSSELL WOLFE** (Traub)—Oxblood red with large yellow throat. Large flowers of a most unusual color. Blooms in July and August on 3 ft. stalks. Slightly scented. ....\$1.00
- SACHEM** (Stout)—Exceptionally fine. The dark red, near carmine medium large flowers do not fade on hottest and brightest days. The throat is light orange contrasting sharply with the outer deeply colored portion. Blooms in July and August on stalks 3 Ft. tall. ....\$1.50
- SANTA FE** (Russell)—Twisted rosy petals, deep rosy eyezone, sepals yellow, overlaid with deep rose. Sturdy plants and a good multiplier. Blooms mid-summer. 2½ ft. ....\$1.00
- SATURN** (Stout)—3 ft. June, July. Flower of robust multiflora type. 3 in spread; numerous in clusters. Dark orange-red, overcast bronze. A trace of eye on crest of petal, suffusing into clear apricot yellow and distinctive marginal bond. (Introducer's description) .....\$3.00

- SERENADE** (Stout) — Very light pastel shades of yellow and pink in pleasing harmony. Petals twisted and crinkled with faint halo. Flowers of medium large size, on tall, slender, stiff stems. Wonderful garden picture planted with blue Siberian Iris. 4 ft. tall in bloom June and July .....\$1.00
- SEVEN SEAS** (Russell)—Large flower of rosy brown with deeper brown veins and yellow midrib, sepals a little lighter shade. Blooms in July on 3 ft. stalks .....\$1.00
- SHIRLEY**—Large open flowers of pale apricot yellow with fluted petals. A lovely variety—July. 3 ft. ....\$1.00
- SINGAPORE** (Bechtold)—Large fluted pale yellow self, with a swish of dark red marking on each petal. Flower stands broadly open and measures 6 inches or more across. Blooms in July and August on stalks 3 ft. tall...\$1.00
- SIRIUS**—Flowers wide funnel shaped, rich orange with center of each petal flecked with reddish purple, margins of petals wavy and reflexed, about 2½ feet tall, blooms June and July .....50c
- SONNY** (Stout)—A charming plant with 4 to 5 inch flowers, heavy and firm in texture, and strongly recurving, throat of flower is greenish in color. The face is a clear and uniform shade of light yellow, full open flower on stalks 3 feet tall, blooms in July—August .....\$2.00
- SOVEREIGN**—Early blooming variety of deep golden yellow, blooms of good size on stalks 3½ feet tall. Desirable on account of its earliness as well. Blooms early in June into July when other flowers are scarce.....35c each
- SOUDAN**—Clear lemon yellow, deeper in throat, flower has broad over lapping petals and sepals of a uniform color with many blooms on well branched stalks 3½ feet tall. Long season of blooms beginning early in July. ....60c each
- STALWART** (Cook)—Large flower of tawny reddish bronze and orange with a gold throat. The petals are recurved with a golden midrib. July, August. 3 ft. ....\$ .50
- STAR OF GOLD** (Sass)—Fine light yellow of waxy texture. Very large spreading flowers held high in the air. Vigorous plant. 4 ft. ....\$1.25



- STARLIGHT** (Nesmith)—Finest early pale yellow large blooms, broad petals of pale creamy yellow. A desirable variety, blooms in June and July on stalks 3 ft. tall.....Each **\$2.50**
- SU-LIN** (Nesmith)—A lovely bicolor of pale mauve and creamy yellow. The flowers are open and flaring with petals of orchid pink and sepals of light yellow. July, August. 35 in. **\$3.00**
- SUMMER GLOW** (Bristol Nurseries)—Brilliant golden yellow, fragrant blossoms of medium size are borne profusely on much branched slender stalks 5 feet or more in height, it is erect in habit, graceful and effective throughout the entire summer, considered one of the best Daylilies for tall mass color.....**1.00 each**
- SUNGOLD** — Introduced by Dreers. Flower broad-petaled dazzling gold of perfect form. One of the earliest orange varieties, blooms in June on stems about 3 ft. tall.....**50c**
- SUNNY WEST**—A Sass origination. Very large flower of waxy canary yellow. Tall stems with many buds. Tall and late. July, August. 4 ft.....**60c**
- SWEETBRIER** (Nesmith)—A lustrous flower, large in size and much better formed and branched than the famous Fulva Rosea. The fresh pink petals and sepals are well reflexed showing a delicate yellow cup. The poise and perfection of form of the flowers lend added charm to this lovely hemerocallis. 40 inches. (Originators' description) .....Each **\$4.00**
- SYMPHONY** (Stout)—A delicate blend of pastel tones, sepals yellow, petals rose with mid band of darker red. 3½ ft. blooms in June and July. Fragrant, open evenings. ....**\$2.00**
- TANGERINE** (Yeld)—True tangerine colored flowers in late spring, buds tinted red, semi-dwarf, twenty inches tall in bloom May and June.....**75c**
- TARUGA** (Stout)—Clear lemon-yellow with a faint cinnamon dust effect in the midzone area. Flowers are large, 6 inches or more in diameter, petals have graceful curlings and foldings. The wide open flowers of Wau-bun type are abundantly produced on 3 ft. stalks in July. Each.....**\$3.00**
- THE GEM**—Magnificent deep yellow, flower of good size and form, profuse in bloom, well named and one of the best at the price. 3 ft. July and August .....**35c**

**THERON** (Stout)—Large, full, dark mahogany red. Throat dark red outside, orange inside producing a striking purple and gold effect. 2½ ft. tall. In bloom July and August.....\$1.50

**TRIUMPH** (Stout)—Large rich orange with a slight fulvous halo in midzone. Special and individual form. Petals broad strongly recurved, sepals semi-erect. Blooms in July on 3 ft. stalks. Each .....\$2.00

**TYLER RED** (Tyler)—An open deep mahogany-red. The flowers are large, the plant vigorous and evergreen. We think that it is destined to become more and more popular. 2½ to 3 ft. (Introducer's description) .....\$1.00

**VALIANT** (Cook)—Considered at the top of orange day-lilies. The flowers are large, open and full, the petals wide and of fine substance. The color uniform and permanent. Blooms July, August. 3 ft.....\$8.00

**VESTA** (Stout) — Semi-Dwarf. Flower good size of deep orange with glistening golden sheen. Fragrant, open evenings. 2½ ft. July, August....\$ .75

**VISCOUNTESS BYNG** — Pale coppery rose, open well shaped flowers, late blooming. Flowers best if planted in shady location. July. 3 ft.....75c

**VULCAN** (Stout)—Even-toned, light velvety maroon, with faint golden brown midrib; throat of the medium-large flower, 4 to 5 inch diameter, is golden orange. A very showy variety of deepest tone. Blooms July, August on stalks 2½ ft. tall.....\$1.00

**WARPATH** (Russell)—An outstanding red of very rich but bright red with satiny sheen, both petals and sepals, orange throat, flowers of good size and opens fully reflexed. Blooms in July on 3 ft. stalks, each.....\$2.00

**WAU-BUN**—Flowers of good size cadmium yellow overcast delicate fulvous red, long petals twisted near tips. June, July. 2½ ft.....75c

**WEKIWA** (Traub)—Flower of medium size of rich velvety red. Blooms on 3 ft. stalks in July.....\$3.50

**WELAKA** (Watkins)—Large blooms very freely borne, are of splendid substance, crepe like and rippled in texture, petals broad and flowers of full form. The color is a rich, glowing, fulvous red, shading to a manderin orange throat. Blooms on 3 ft. stalks July and August. Each.....\$2.00



**WHITE LADY** (Sass)—A tall pale yellow of good size and form, in bloom fore part of July thru August. Splendid for background and planted with blue Platycodon or Delphinium. 4 feet. Each .....\$1.00

**WINONA** (Cook) — Large wide open flower of pale buff yellow with a flush of rusty fulvous. Very attractive. Blooms July. 36 in.....\$1.50

**WINSOME**—Pale creamy yellow, fragrant, long blooming. Season between the early and mid-season varieties. July, July. 3 ft. ....50c

**WOLOF** (Stout)—Fine dark velvety maroon, throat clear orange. Flowers are of good size, full and spreading in form. Midrib of light yellow enhances the flower's attractiveness. Blooms in July on 3 ft. stalks. ....\$2.50

**WOODLOT GOLD**—Large flowers of deep yellow, edges of petals crinkled. Late blooming. July, August. 3 ft. 50c

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## HEMEROCALLIS COLLECTIONS

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### Yellow Shades

**J. A. CRAWFORD, MODESTY, MORNING STAR, PATRICIA, PALE MOON, SUNNY WEST**—\$3.70 value for...\$2.50

**ORANGE SHADES** — August Pioneer, Cinnabar, Gloriana, Mrs. A. H. Austin, Queen of Gonzales, Vesta. \$3.75 value for .....\$2.50

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### Pastel Shades

Dawn, Gladys Perry, Linda, Serenade, Florida. \$3.55 value for.....\$2.50

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### Polychrome

Bogdad, Bijou, Dauntless, Kwanso Virginica, Rajah. \$3.50 value for....\$2.50

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# HOSTA

Hosta Glauca and Fortunei were submitted to a leading authority of these plants for identification and his decision is that the names were transposed. Glauca is identified as Fortunei and vice versa. Those were sold under names as originally purchased but are now listed under correct names.

Hardy herbaceous perennials with handsome green or variegated foliage. Flowers lily-like on graceful stems.

Do best if grown in shade or partial shade, ideal for north side of building or shady place among foundation planting or shady place in garden.

Should be grown in rich, well manured soil and watered well in dry weather for best results.

Can be planted any time from spring till fall. Plants shipped soon as possible after May 1st.

**AOKI**—Foliage dark green, leaves large, similar in form and color to *Caerulea*, except under side is silvery green.



*Hosta Aoki, Photo by Sam Vandivert*

Plant about 15 inches tall, blooms mid-summer on stalks 2 feet. Color of flower lavender-pink .....\$1.50

**CAERULEA**—The true variety has the bluest flowers of any of the Hostas. It is the next largest in size of flower to *H. plantaginea* with very round puffed out bells of lavender blue distinctly penciled on the inner surface with deeper color. The leaves are glossy green of large size and graceful form. Use for border planting with pale yellow *Hemerocallis* in the background. July-August. 3 ft.....50c

**HOSTA DECORATA**—The blunt plantain-lily has blunt dark green leaves with white edges. The leaves are about one foot high and the blade about five inches by three inches. In a couple of years a small plant makes a rosette of leaves two feet across.



This rosette of leaves of green and white coloring forms an excellent end



The blunt plantain-lily  
(*Hosta decorata*).

for a flower bed against a lawn as the outer leaves bend to the ground. The flowers, in the early part of August, are fat bells standing out at right angles on a two-foot stalk. The blossoms of purple have lines of white, so that the effect is not a solid color. There is a sturdy, substantial feeling to this plant.

Formerly listed as Thomas Hogg....**50c**

**ERROMENA**—This *Hosta* has been identified through illustrations and description in "Bailey Herbarum" as *Hosta Erromena*. Listed and sold also under names *Japonica* and *Lancifolia Undulata*.

It is a robust growing plant with dark green leaves with prominent curved veins either side of midrib, blade of leaf about 8 to 10 inches long, about 4 inches broad. Flowers pale lilac bells on stalks 2½ feet tall, blooms in July .....**75c**

**FORTUNEI**—A very fine outstanding species with good size glaucous leaves. Makes a fine specimen plant. Foliage not quite as large and more pointed than *Seiboldiana*. Lavender blue bell shaped flowers on stems 2 ft. or more in July ..... **75c**

#### **FORTUNEI ALBO-MARGINATA**

—The tall-cluster Plantain-lily, has arching leaves two feet long that sweep over to the ground. The leaf blade, six inches by ten inches, is shiny green, edged with a one-half band of white. The very pale lavender flowers, almost white, are dainty, bell-shaped, spread along a three-foot stalk and start blooming in early July.



#### **Hosta Fortunei Alba Marginata**

Two or three of these plants with the large green and white leaves growing up from the center of the plants and curving over again form a mass of interesting foliage, very restful and pleasing, and presenting a fascinating study in leaf form. It makes rather slow growth.

The bell shaped flowers on stems are two feet high. Blooms in July.. **\$1.00**



**FORTUNEI VIRDIS MARGINATA.—**

Large pointed leaves of olive green with a broad margin of dark green. Flowers are bell shaped and lavender pink in color and blooms in July on stalks 2 ft. Plant turns dark green late in summer .....\$1.50

**GLAUCA**—Foliage glaucous blue, heavy leathery in texture of a seersucker nature. Leaves similar in form to Seiboldiana but smaller in size and more rounded. Has the most powdery blue leaves of any Hosta. Prized for its



**Hosta Glauca, Photo by Sam Vandivert**

color and form. Flowers lavender purple, bells which rise well above the foliage. Stock very scarce..\$2.50

**LANCIFOLIA ALBO-MARGINATA**—The narrow-leaved plantain-lily, is a rapid grower. The slim light green leaves have a white line along the edges of the narrow blades. The leaves are about eight inches to twelve inches long. The flowers are lavender, with white lines, bell-shaped, on two-foot stalks in the middle of August. This



*The narrow-leaved plantain-lily (Hosta lancifolia albo-marginata).*

makes a bushy growth of leaves and a thick border plant. It is a very pleasing plantain-lily and desirable to have as it blooms vigorously and freely. ....50c each

**LANCIFOLIA FORTIS**—Lance leaf plantain lily. Long lance like foliage, dark green in color, produced in abundance. Flowers are violet. Bloom September and October on stems two feet tall, very floriferous and especially welcome as it is in bloom over a long period in the fall when flowers are scarce. ....35c



**LANCIFOLIA TARDIFLORA** — Leaves small, narrow, the smallest of the Lancifolia type and one of the latest to bloom. Blooms in September and October. Lavender flowers on stems 18 inches tall. Distinctive, rare variety. Plants should be mulched over winter .....\$2.50

**MINOR ALBA**—Dwarf form. Splendid for rock gardens or edge of shady border. Foliage bright green. Flowers white, bell like in form on stems 12 inches tall. Fine for cutting. Blooms August and September .....\$1.00

**HOSTA SIEBOLDIANA** — Short-cluster plantain-lily, will spread to three feet or more across. The huge gray leaves will eventually grow large enough to hide the flower stalks with their clusters of lovely palest lavender flowers of thick texture. The leaves about two feet or more high are a rich gray and

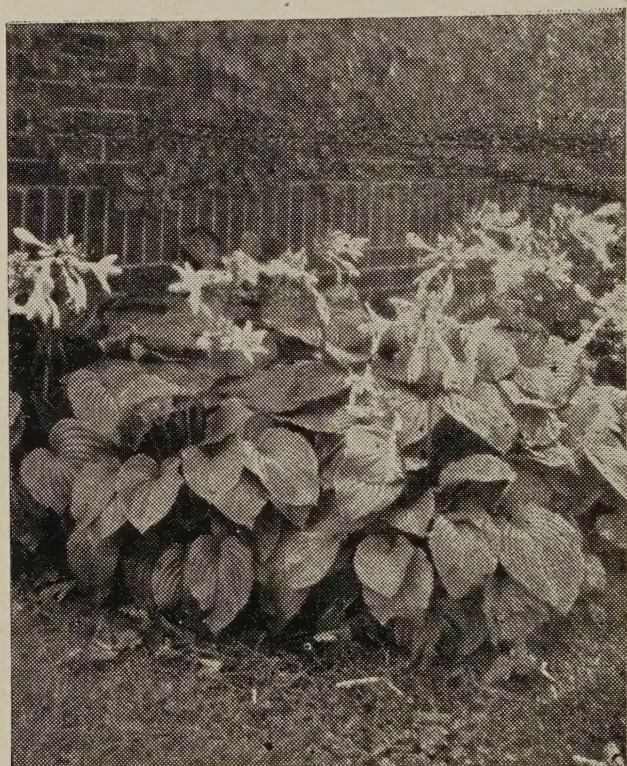


*Hosta undulata* at right.  
The short-cluster plantain-lily (*Hosta sieboldiana*) with the wavy-leaved



the blade of the leaf about ten inches by twelve inches in size. This plant begins to bloom about the first of July. The time for all the blossoms in the flower cluster of a plantain-lily to bloom up the stalk covers two or three weeks. This variety is a very conspicuous and decorative plant...**75c**

**SUBCORDATA GRANDIFLORA** — Also listed as Plantaginea. Large yellowish green leaves on long stems. Largest blooms of all Hosta. Pure white, lily-



**Hosta subcordata Grandiflora**  
like in form. In bloom August, September. 24 inches.....**50c**

**UNDULATA UNIVITTATA.** The heavy, waxy, dark green leaves are very decorative with wide creamy, white stripe in the center of the leaves, the long bell shaped flowers, lavender shade. Bloom in July on stems 30 in. tall **50c**

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